

THE HOME
THE WORLD

NEWS OF SPECIAL INTEREST

THE MOVIES
THE PLAYERS

Here are Related Facts and Fancies Concerning the Activities of Individuals and Organizations, the Home, Fashions and Other Matters.

WOMEN'S WORK

Danger of the Home.

Safety first, like charity, should begin at home, it would appear from the disclosures just announced by Chicago's coroner. Factories, mills, railroad crossings and congested thoroughfares are not as dangerous as home life, according to Chicago figures covering the past eleven years, says an article in the Toronto Mail and Empire. Of the 29,864 deaths caused by accident, a total of 15,341 were accidents at home and due to carelessness. Nor is this condition confined to Chicago, for it is learned from another source that in New York last year 179 persons lost their lives from fires and explosions at home due to carelessness.

"Safe as a babe at home" is an ancient phrase, but its application is challenged by the 1915 record in Chicago and its environs. One hundred and five children under 5 years old

were killed by scalds and burns alone—all victims of carelessness and ignorance. How many others were caused by infectious and contagious diseases due also to carelessness cannot, of course, be estimated with precision, but the toll must be large.

Dangers that lurk in the home are numerous. Burns and scalds are a continual menace and these dangers are supplemented by those of asphyxiation, falling downstairs, poisoning, suffocation, exposure and neglect, reckless use of firearms, gas, oil, gasoline or liquid stove polish, by defective stoves, stovepipes, accumulation of soot and a multitude of other things. Prying little children are forever poking their inquisitive noses into dangerous places, and it must be a vigilant mother who safeguards her little flock from injury if not death.

Much has been accomplished in the "safety-first" movement in America. Thousands of deaths have been prevented by education and legislation affecting workshops and public service conveniences. But the dangers of



These dresses in silk or voile of a dark color are very useful in the fall. The tucked skirt of the one illustrated and the narrow ruffle above the belt are good style.

the home have not received the attention they demanded. "Safety first" should take a place side by side with that venerable invocation, "God bless our home."

Women Suffrage in United Kingdom.

The question of woman suffrage which is once again coming to the front in the United Kingdom, was carried a step further by the statement, issued recently, by a number of men and women prominent in the movement.

The statement, which was forwarded to the Prime Minister, expressed a desire to know the intentions of the Government with regard to the enfranchisement of women "in the bill that should shortly be introduced to deal with the Parliamentary register," says the Toronto Mail and Empire. It urged that if statutory limitations as to time or other franchise qualifications were held to come within the scope of any registration scheme considered by the Government, so might statutory limitations as to sex come within the not the nation, as represented by the Government, take this opportunity and rise to the emergency need of women for political enfranchisement?

It is just this point of urgency, upon which the statement insists that many will be slow to admit. There is a disposition even amongst those who are quite earnest in their support of woman suffrage, to regard it as something that is not urgent, a subject, in fact, about which any quantity of time may be allowed for consideration. The fact is, of course, that it has over a long time, been an urgent matter, and it is more urgent today than ever before. Women at present in the United Kingdom are carrying through a very large part, if not the larger part, of the work of the country. They are to be found participating in all branches of the nation's activities, often occupying the most important and responsible positions, and yet they are politically helpless. At the close of the present struggle, an economic readjustment will have to be made in the United Kingdom and in other countries, unequalled in the history of labor. The question whether women should be barred from taking any effective part in such a readjustment is certainly one which presents all the elements of urgency.

A Cheerful Prophet.

Yvette Guilbert is teaching American girls that to make happy homes should be their aim, says the Victoria Daily Colonist. This French singer believes that girls should learn to dance and sing and play outdoor games. All the talents and all the beauty and attractiveness that a girl possesses should be cultivated. But girls ought not to be satisfied with beauty, however great. No woman in this world has a right to be nothing more than an ornament to her home. This teacher would have all girls rich as well as poor learn the arts of housewifery. To sit with one's hands folded is not to be permitted while sewing and embroidery needs to be done. The girl who does not know how to cook and what should be cooked cannot make a home happy. In the current number of The Craftsman there is a very entertaining article in which this artist and teacher makes her appeal to the girls of the east, and from which western girls may rather hints. scope of this measure. If, however, the Government, in spite of these representations should take the view that women cannot be enfranchised under a registration Act, then the signatories to the statement urged that the Government should substitute a franchise bill, by which under no contingency will women's "long-overdue claims" be disregarded.

The great argument put forward in the statement is the really unanswerable one that women have been called upon to take their share in the defence of the country, and that they have, as a consequence, a right to share in its Government. That women have risen to meet the nation's need in an hour of emergency has been universally admitted, the signatories declare.

SATURDAY'S POEM.

Just to be out of doors! So still! So green!
With unbreathed air, fillable,
clean,
With soft, sweet scent of happy growing things,
The leaves soft flutter, sound of sudden wings,
The far faint hills, the water wide between.

Breast of the great earth-mother! Here we lean
With no conventions hard to intervene
Content, with the contentment nature brings
Just to be out of doors.

And under all the feeling half unseen
Of what this lovely world will come to mean
To all of us when the uncounted strings
Are keyed aright, and one clear music rings
In all our hearts. Joy universal, keen,
Just to be out of doors.

There is a verse in one of the poems written by Archibald Lampman, our Canadian poet, which speaks of lying on the grass looking at the clouds and being perfectly happy. He says to do this you must not think but only dream. The above poem reminded me of that blissful state.

Double Hemstitching.

This is something called Italian hemstitching and is very effective. It is also quite easy. Two threads are drawn as for ordinary hemstitching. Two threads above are passed over, and the next two are drawn. In hemstitching four threads are taken up each time on the needle and the right side of the work shows the thread passing from hole to hole to outline a square. On the back of the work the threads cross. The two threads that were not drawn form the solid centre of each square.

The Favorite Coat Dress.

The coat dress will be a universal favorite for autumn. Sometimes plaits on the bodice will be carefully matched on the skirt and appear to be of one piece separated by a stitched belt. At other times the waist and skirt will have almost no fullness at the waist line and a belt will pass through either straps or either slits in the goods. Still other models show a line of buttons from throat to hem with a carefully designed belt.

FROM HERE AND THERE.

Lady Sybil Grant, eldest daughter of Lord Rosebery and the wife of Col. Grant, of the Coldstream Guards, is running a newspaper for her husband's regiment at the front, telling the news and tidings of the soldiers' wives and families at home. Lady Sybil, in peace times, is a writer of romances, and has already published several novels.

To grill a piece of lamb, score the top, brush it over with the beaten yolk of an egg, dredge it with salt and pepper, cover with a layer of breadcrumbs and bake, basting with butter every fifteen minutes. When it is done garnish with currant jelly and serve with caper sauce.

To clarify soup stock: Place the stock in a clean saucepan, set it over a brisk fire. When boiling, add the white of one egg to each quart of stock, proceeding as follows: beat the whites of the eggs up well in a little water; then add a little hot stock; beat to a froth and pour gradually into the pot; then beat the whole hard and long; allow it to boil up once, and immediately remove and strain through a thin flannel cloth.

For Labor Day.

Will those having donations of refreshments for the Labor Day fest kindly leave them at the Soldiers' Club before twelve o'clock on Monday (Labor Day.)

Resolve to Succeed

Throw off the handicap of petty ills that make you grouchy, listless and depressed. Get at the root of your ailments—clear your digestive system of impurities, put it in good working order—keep it healthy with

BEECHAM'S PILLS

They act promptly on the stomach, liver and bowels, removing waste matters and purifying the blood. Not habit forming, never gripe, but leave the organs strengthened. To succeed in life, or work, first have a healthy body. This famous remedy will do much to

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Who's Who and What's What in the Picture World and on the Stage—Favorites and What They Say and Do.

IMPERIAL.

Into the Primitive. Lovers of Kathlyn Williams will like this picture of their favorite actress in a play full of unusual situations. It was also full of animals for the whole of the Selig zoo wandered about in woods and jungle. These animal pictures of that company are splendidly managed. There is no suggestion of wire or cage between the lions of tigers and the jungle pictures have an air of decided reality. Huge snakes, elephants, leopards, lions, birds and beasts of all description wander at large through forests of tropical denseness. A shipwreck which occurs in the story we are mercifully spared the details of and the plot does not suffer in the least from this omission. Where the plot does fall is that no girl with the sense Jennie Leslie (Kathlyn Williams) is supposed to have would ever mistake the "Hon. Cecil Winthrop" (Harry Lonsdale) for a member of the British aristocracy even if he said he was the Duke of Devonshire or the Earl of Devonshire. He didn't look like a gentleman and he didn't act like one from the first. His behavior is made a little too marked to contrast with the strong man of the play—the cave-man, Thomas Blake, (Guy Oliver). The part of the rough man is given a strong rendition by Guy Oliver. The picture is a five part adaptation of the novel by Robert Ames Bennett.

Secret of the Submarine. Yesterday also began the new serial, The Secret of the Submarine, and I think this is going to be a fine story. The plot opens well. I like the hero, (A little like a certain screen idol—yes!) and the heroine. The first chapter rapidly introduces the characters and sets the action in full swing. Saturday's makeup is remarkably fine and we shall look forward to the acting of William Tedmarsh as the Jay. The water, under water and scenes on board the submarine are going to be most interesting for we are so much in touch with things like that in these days. The finish of yesterday's chapter was very exciting.

Another good picture is the Sporting Series of which the first were boxing, wrestling and billiards. Now, you won't expect me to criticize the first named but I more than liked the billiards. It was just like watching a real game played by skilled players. Any men who were there will probably tell you about the boxing and wrestling. I'm sure it was good of its kind.

Mary Fuller has just returned home from the hospital, where she has had her tonsils removed, and after a short rest will return to the screen.

Dorothy Davenport, in private life Mrs. Wallace Reid, is now the proud owner of her own home. She has bought a residence in Morgan place, Hollywood, a residential section of Los Angeles, just across the hills from Universal City.

Grace Cunard and Francis Ford also appeared lately in the Universal special feature, "Brennon of the Moor," a two-episode romantic Irish drama of the type in which both excel. The late Daddy Manley also will be seen for the last time in any moving picture in "Brennon of the Moor."

Mme. Sarah Bernhardt, now in her seventy-second year, is to start on an American tour this autumn, appearing

first at the Knickerbocker Theatre, New York. She sails for America, toward the end of September, following her short London engagement. During her American tour, Mme Bernhardt will for the first occasion in her career, speak English during her performances, and will include in her repertoire the piece by Emile Verhaeren, the Belgian poet, which she has been giving with so much success before a soldiers at the front. An orchestra of 40 pieces accompanies her and a well known singer, who will give the Marseillaise, at each performance.

Portable Theatre for the Front. A portable theatre has just been built for performances before the troops at the front, says a Paris newspaper. The stage, with all fittings, can be carried in three motor lorries. It is of handsome dimensions, measuring 60 ft. broad, 30 ft. deep, and 22 ft. in height. The travelling theatre will be sent up and down behind the front, performances being given every day.

The Last Word.

Miss Ethel Levey, the revue actress, is telling the following story of how women invariably manage to get the last word of an argument. A deaf and dumb man one evening had a tiff with his wife, who began to scold him. "Though he couldn't speak a word his fingers flew in explanation. And what do you think the woman did?" asked Miss Levey; "she put out the light."

Gypsy Abbott, who is appearing in

the chief feminine roles of two act Vogue-Mutual comedies filmed by Jack Dillon, slipped while enacting a part recently and cut her hand. As a result the part she was cast for had to be changed slightly in order to permit her to appear with a bandaged hand.

ALICE FAIRWEATHER.

UNIQUE—Today

Little Darling of the Screen
MARY PICKFORD
In one of Biograph Plays that helped to make her the idol of millions
"The Old Actor"
(Re-issue)

Lubin Comedy—Otto, The Sleuth

THREE ACT DRAMA
"OUT OF THE RUINS"
—THRILLING—
A Boudoir Photo for Ladies and Children at Saturday Matinee

COMING

Mon.-Tue.-Wed.—"The Making of Madeline"
Thurs.-Fri.-Sat.—Chas. Chaplin in "One A. M."

Today—LYRIC

"Nugget Bill's Pardner"
Staged in Western Canada
Featuring Frank Borzage and Anna Little

Funny Jerry Ovey in Cub Comedy

"JERRY'S STRATAGEM"
TWO ACTS OF LIVELY VAUDEVILLE
Goldie Pemberton in New Songs and Dances
Simpson—Eccentric Barrel Jumper and Novel Pantomimist

NEXT WEEK

Mon.-Tue.-Wed.—"The Dead Alive"
Thurs.-Fri.-Sat.—"The Gutter Magdalen"

OPERA HOUSE

TODAY AFTERNOON 2.15-3.45 EVENING 7.15-8.45 LAST TIMES

MARGUERITE CLARK

In a Famous Players
Photo Romance
"SILKS and SATINS"

NEXT WEEK
STARTING
LABOR DAY
MATINEE

KLARK-URBAN CO.

In the Geo. M. Cohan Success
"7 KEYS TO BALDPATE"

NIGHTS AND
LABOR DAY
MATINEE

50-35-25-10c SEATS ON SALE NOW

BRAY FUN CARTOON

"Bobby Bumps and His Goatmobile"
Prof. Dorsey Travel Pictures

"IMPERIAL INDIA"

Protecting Love 'Mid the Terrors of the Jungle!

"INTO THE PRIMITIVE"
At Imperial

With Kathlyn Williams and Guy Oliver
A WILD ANIMAL NARRATIVE OF SPELL-BINDING INTEREST—A REALISTIC WONDER

The Whole of Selig's Famous Menagerie of Beasts and Reptiles Introduced in This Story

Grand Opening Chapter
"THE SECRET OF THE SUBMARINE"
Our New Serial Story

DO NOT MISS THIS OPENING EPISODE for the story-value of the new serial is far above the general run. It is a plausible yarn, not a nightmare. The novelty of submarines and how they are handled is interesting in itself. All the players are new to our folks—Mutual Co. stars who are not yet graced our curtain. The photography is superb and the mechanical surprises truly astounding. The escape from the sunken "sub" in today's chapter will cause you to think. No matter what your opinion re serial movies may be this one will please you. E. Alexander Powell, war correspondent at present in Europe is the author.

Another New Feature
REAL SPORTING PICTURES
Boxing, Wrestling, Billiards

MIKE GIBBONS, Champion Middleweight Boxer of the World, in a fast bout, showing his wonderful skill and ring generalship.
KOJI YAMADA VS. ALBERT CUTLER, or Japan against America in a marvelous contest at billiards. The experts, after a genuine contest, give a remarkable exhibition of fancy shots.
DR. ROLLER VS. FRED DALKUS, the Lithuanian Giant, in heavyweight Wrestling Contest to a serious finish. Close-up view of a real bout between these modern Hercules. How the throws are manipulated.

THE BIGGEST AND BEST BILL IN MANY MONTHS

INTERESTING CONTESTS
For the Word Makers

How would you like another word-making contest? Alright here is one for you. Make out the most number of words found in the word STANDARD, only using the same letter in your word as often as it is found in "Standard," for instance "state" would be wrong, as there is only one "T," and no "E." To the boy or girl who sends in the longest list of words, I shall award a Camera, and the next in order of merit will receive a splendid game. All entries to have the usual coupon attached, and arrive at this office not later than September 15th, 1916, addressed to

UNCLE DICK,
THE STANDARD,
ST. JOHN, N. B.

whose decision must be considered as final.

For The Artists

To the boy or girl who colors this picture the best, with either water colors, or chalks, I shall award a Splendid Camera, and to the next in order of merit, I shall send a large ping-pong set. Now get busy, and let me have a record number of entries, even if the schools are just commencing again.



All entries must have the usual coupon attached, and reach this office not later than September 6th, 1916, addressed to

UNCLE DICK,
THE STANDARD,
ST. JOHN, N. B.

Whose decision must be considered as final.

COUPON.

STANDARD COMPETITION.
For Boys and Girls.

Full Name

Address

Age Birthday